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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Application No. 09/380,203; § 371 Date: April 25, 2000
For: **Transgenic Animals and Cell Lines for Screening Drugs Effective for the Treatment or Prevention of Alzheimer's Disease**
Inventors: de la Monte *et al.*
Our Ref: 0609.4370001/RWE

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Fee Transmittal (Form PTO/SB/17);
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 $250.00 Notice of appeal;

3. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1);
4. Notice of Appeal From the Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences - Small Entity;
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Respectfully submitted,

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

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Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

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